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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

KAREL VAN DEN BERG

Serial No.: 09/884,829

Filed: June 19, 2001

For: AN IMPLEMENT FOR DEMARCATING AN AREA AS WELL AS A VEHICLE
SUITABLE FOR BEING USED IN SAID TREATMENT

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Examiner: Victor L. MacArthur

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To the Commissioner of
Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated August 27, 2002, please amend the above-identified Application as follows:

Please cancel all of the claims without prejudice and add the following claims:

Claim 55. An apparatus for demarcating an area which comprises a demarcation element which includes at least one section, and a vehicle connected to an end of said section, said vehicle including a geodetic positioning system for selectively positioning said end of said section of said demarcation element.

Claim 56. An apparatus in accordance with Claim 55, wherein said demarcation element is flexible so that it can be wound and rewound.

Claim 57. An apparatus in accordance with Claim 56, wherein said demarcation element includes tightening means for tightening said demarcation element.